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FM AMEMBASSY BRASILIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 498

INFO AMCONSUL RIO DE JANEIRO

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AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

AMEMBASSY BOGOTA

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E.O.11652: N/A

TAGS: EAGR, BR

SUBJECT: FROST IN COFFEE REGION

REF: STATE 170809

1. CONGEN RIO DELIVERED KATZ MESSAGE TO IBC PRESIDENT CALZANS WHO APPEARED TO APPRECIATE GESTURE GREATLY.

2. CALAZANS INDICATED THAT FROST IN PARANA AND SAO PAULO WAS WORST IN LIVING MEMORY. FROST HAS EVEN EXTENDED TO COFFEE AREAS OF MATO GROSSO WHICH HAD NEVER BEFORE EXPERIENCED PHENOMENA. HE SAID DAMAGE HAS BEEN SEVERE ALTHOUGH IT IS STILL TOO EARLY TO ESTIMATE LOSSES. THIS YEAR'S CROP, OF COURSE, WAS NOT AFFECTED EVEN THOUGH SOME BERRIES REMAINED ON TREES. NEXT YEAR'S CROP, AND EVEN SUBSEQUENT CROPS, WILL BE AFFECTED TO EXTENT THAT FROST HAS DAMAGED TREES. IT MAY TAKE SEVERAL YEARS FOR AFFECTED CROP AREAS TO RECUPERATE FULLY.

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3. CALZANS CONFORMED NEWSPAPER REPORTS THAT HE AND MINISTER SEVERO GOMES WISH TO CONTINUE TO SEEK NEW INTERNATIONAL COFFEE AGREEMENT. HE SAID THAT SUCH AN AGREEMENT WOULD EXTEND OVER A NUMBER OF YEARS AND SHOULD NOT BE PUT ASIDE BECAUSE OF ADVERSE EFFECTS OF ONE FROST. CALZANS SAID FURTHER THAT IBC ATTEMPTING TO TAKE MEASURES TO PREVENT PRICES FROM RISING TOO RAPIDLY AND TOO HIGH. THIS WOULD ONLY CAUSE SUPER-PRODUCTION IN OTHER COUNTRIES.
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